



PATENT  
Docket No. 2026-4255

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Emerson, S.U. et al. Group Art Unit: 1643  
Serial No. : 08/840,316 Examiner: Zeman, M.  
Filed : April 11, 1997  
For : RECOMBINANT PROTEINS OF A PAKISTANI STRAIN OF HEPATITIS E AND THEIR  
USE IN DIAGNOSTIC METHODS AND VACCINES

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing An Amendment And Response.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
[X] is filed herewith.  
[ ] has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3. [ ] Applicant is a small-entity -- verified statement is attached [ ], or has already been filed. [ ].

- | 4.                                   | Total Months<br><u>Requested</u>   | Fee for Other<br><u>than Small Entity</u> | Fee for<br><u>Small Entity</u> |
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| 09/01/1998 SALEKIL 00000014 08840316 | a. one month   | \$110.00                                  | \$55.00                        |
| 01 FC:117                            | b. [ ] two months  | \$400.00                                  | \$200.00                       |
|                                      | c. [X] three months  | \$950.00                                  | \$475.00                       |
|                                      | d. [ ] four months   | \$1,510.00                                | \$755.00                       |
|                                      | e. [ ] An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ ____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ ____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ ____ ) equals \$ ____ (total fee due). |   |                                |

7. [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2026-4255. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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